Mountain Weather Forecast

North Grampian

Including North and West Cairngorms National Park, Monadhliath, Ben Alder, Creag Meagaidh, Loch Ericht and Loch Rannoch
Forecast valid from 06:00 on Sunday 03 Sep 2023 until 23:59 on Monday 04 Sep 2023

Forecast Issued on Sunday 03 Sep 2023 at 03:34 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for windy conditions, cloudy at times, becoming warm during the week.

Headline for Sunday 03 Sep 2023: Very windy. Patchy drizzle in the west otherwise dry and brighter east.

Mountain weather hazards on Sunday 03 Sep 2023

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** Low Likelihood
Gales Medium Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy
Precipitation probability					
10%	10%	20%	30%	10%	10%

Forecast for Sunday 03 Sep 2023

Weather: A windy day with bright spells in the east. Western parts will see patchy cloud with the odd drizzle patch at times.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 40% in the west 70% in the east.

Low cloud and visibility: Broken cloud cover 500-600m in the west becomes patchy, rising to 700-900m in the east. The visibility will be good, falling poor in any rain and drizzle.

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Forecast for Sunday 03 Sep 2023

Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	42/56 SW	40/52 SW	43/58 SW	42/55 SW	33/45 W	30/41 W	26/35 SW
900	39/45 SW	31/37 SW	36/46 SW	35/44 SW	27/35 SW	24/31 SW	21/27 SW
600	22/27 SW	16/21 SW	24/33 SW	25/34 SW	18/25 SW	16/23 SW	14/20 SW
300	7/22 SW	10/22 SW	15/33 SW	15/33 SW	10/23 SW	9/20 SW	6/16 SW
Glen	7/30 SW	7/28 SW	9/32 SW	8/30 SW	4/21 SW	3/17 SW	2/15 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	9/4	11/5	10/5	9/4	8/3	7/2	8/3
900	12/6	13/8	13/7	11/7	11/6	10/6	11/7
600	14/10	15/12	15/11	14/10	13/10	12/9	12/10
300	13/12	16/14	18/15	16/14	15/14	14/13	13/12
Glen	13/11	17/14	19/16	18/15	17/16	14/13	11/12
Freezing Level*	3500m	3500m	3500m	3500m	3300m	3500m	3400m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Wind will make walking conditions unpleasant, particularly on exposed ridges and summits. Occasional gusts of 60 to 70mph on the Cairngorm Plateau.

Forecast for Monday 04 Sep 2023
Weather: A dry day with patchy cloud in the west at times, bright or sunny spells elsewhere.

Maximum wind: Southwest 20-25mph gust 35mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 70%

Low cloud and visibility: Patchy cloud 600-800m through the day with the visibility good.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 9 Celsius rising to Plus 22 Celsius.
At 800m: Plus 12 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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